

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO
WESTERN DIVISION AT DAYTON**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff, : Case No. 3:03-cr-090
Also Case No. 3:07-cv-284

-vs- : District Judge Walter Herbert Rice
Magistrate Judge Michael R. Merz

HAROLD I. DAKERS,

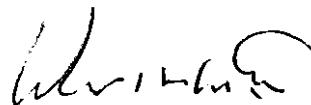
Defendant.

ORDER ADOPTING REPORT AND RECOMMENDATIONS

The Court has reviewed the Report and Recommendations of United States Magistrate Judge Michael R. Merz (Doc. No. 66), to whom this case was referred pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §636(b), and noting that no objections have been filed thereto and that the time for filing such objections under Fed. R. Civ. P. 72(b) expired on December 11, 2008, hereby ADOPTS said Report and Recommendations.

It is therefore ORDERED that Defendant's § 2255 Motion be, and it hereby is, denied with prejudice. Because reasonable jurists would not disagree with this conclusion, Defendant is denied leave to appeal *in forma pauperis* and any requested certificate of appealability.

December 19, 2008.



Walter Herbert Rice
United States District Judge